आपूर्ति का कोई कोटा आवंटित किया गया है ; और

(ख) यदि हां, तो वर्ष 1990-91 और 1991-92 में इस कोटे के अंतर्गत कितने अपंग व्यक्तियों को दूध की आपूर्ति की गई ?

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री के०सी० लेंका) : (क) जी, नहीं ।

(ख) यह प्रश्न नहीं उठता ।

Technology Mission on Oil Seeds and Pulses

882. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) what are the details of the Technology Mission on oil-seeds and pulses;

(b) what are the details of targets set for the whole country and the achievements made during last three years;

(c) what has been the performance of Madhya Pradesh in this regard; and

(d) what are the details of the strategy adopted during the Eighth Five Year Plan to increase production of oilseeds and pulses in the country, with reference to Madhya Pradesh?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) Technology Mission on Oilseeds and Pulses aims to harness the production, processing and management technologies to accelerate self-reliance in oilseeds and pulses by covering crop production, post-harvest technology, farmers services/inputs and market intervention price support.

(b) The targets set for the production of 9 major oilseeds and achievements during the last 3 years in the country are as under:—

Year	Target (lakh tonne)	Achievement (lakh tonne)
1989-90	165	169·24
1990-91	180	184·64
1991 92	185	183·4 (Provisional)

(c) The targets set and achievements during the last three years in Madhya Pradesh are as under:—

Year	Target (lakh tonne)	Achievement (lakh tonne)
1988-89	17·2	23·48
1989-90	17·5	23·64
1990-91	25·0	29·84

(d) The proposed overall strategy for 8th Plan for the development of oilseeds and pulses in the country is to continue the existing efforts, to promote new crops such as red oil palm in identified areas, and promotion of oilseeds in non-traditional areas.

रामतिल का समर्थन मूल्य

883. **श्री लखीराम अग्रवाल** : क्या कृषि मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) सरकार ने देश में उगाई जा रही कौन-कौन सी प्रमुख फसलों के लिए समर्थन मूल्य की घोषणा नहीं की है ;

(ख) क्या सरकार मध्य प्रदेश के आदिवासी किसानों द्वारा लगभग 2.25 लाख हैक्टेयर भूमि में उगाए जा रहे रामतिल का समर्थन मूल्य घोषित करने के प्रस्ताव पर विचार करेगी ; और

(ग) यदि हां, तो कब तक ?

कृषि मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री मुल्लापल्ली रामचन्द्रन) : (क) इस समय सरकार हर वर्ष 22 प्रमुख कृषि जिंसों के लिए न्यूनतम समर्थन मूल्य घोषित करती है ।

(ख) और (ग) प्रश्न नहीं उठता क्योंकि इसका समर्थन मूल्य घोषित करने का कोई प्रस्ताव नहीं है क्योंकि यह एक प्रमुख कृषि जिंस नहीं है और इसका उत्पादन अखिल भारतीय दृष्टि से नगण्य है ।

जो वाणिज्यिक फसल जल्द खराब होने वाली तथा स्थानिक उत्पादन वाली होती हैं तथा जिनके मूल्य केन्द्रीय मूल्य समर्थन योजना के अंतर्गत शामिल नहीं होते उनके लिए मंडी में हस्तक्षेप करने की योजना के अंतर्गत पारस्परिक रूप से सहमत मूल्य पर एक पूर्व निश्चित मात्रा की खरीद निर्धारित करके सहायता प्रदान की जाती है । सरकार द्वारा हस्तक्षेप करने का कार्य आरम्भ करने का निर्णय किसी राज्य सरकार के विशेष अनुरोध पर एक निश्चित अवधि के वास्ते लिया जाता है ।

Economic Advisory Committee concern over High Foodgrains Prices

884. SHRIMATI CHANDRIKA ABHINANDAN JAIN:
SHRI S. MADHAVAN:
MISS SAROJ KHAPARDE:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item appearing in the Sunday Times of India and Financial Express of 14th June, 1992 regarding concern shown by the Economic Advisory Committee to the Prime Minister on food management; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government to the various suggestions made by the Committee in their report submitted to the Prime Minister?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Government attaches very high priority to the management of the food economy with a view to ensuring adequate availability and containing market prices. The views of the Economic Advisory Council and other expert bodies are kept in view in taking Government decision in this important area.

Intensive Cotton Development Programme

885. SHRI S. MADHAVAN:
SHRIMATI SUSHMA SWARAJ:
DR. JINENDRA KUMAR JAIN:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have approved the implementation of the Intensive Cotton Development Programme for the year 1992-93;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) the names of the States which are implementing this scheme and the amount paid to them during 1991-92 and 1992-93;

(d) what are the financial outlays for this scheme; and

(e) how much cotton production is expected from the scheme?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI MULLAPPALLY RAMACHANDRAN): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The scheme covers subsidy on Seed distribution, incentive for production of Foundation seed and certified seeds, use of Breeder seed, IPM Demonstrations and subsidies on Plant Protection chemicals and equipments as well as subsidy on use of Sprinkler sets and tractor-mounted sprayers, etc.